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EDITORIAL.

It is always with a keen sense of pleasure, after strenuously battling with examinations, that we for a few days relax and indulge in the unbounded festivities of Prom. week. In all its pleasure, beauty and happiness,

Prom. the Promenade of this year was no
Week. exception to those of the past. In fact if we were to venture a com-

parison, we might justly say that in many ways it surpassed those of former years—all praise to the junior class!

The week formally opened on Friday evening with an informal dance in Rosse Hall. This date for the informal was in itself an innovation which we owe to the remarkable creative genius of the Junior Class. In previous years the activities commenced on Saturday evening instead. The change is certainly a good one—Seniors take notice how well these Juniors in their freshman year were instructed in such matters of creative genius. It always gives to fond teachers great pleasure to see their pupils following the precepts of their wise example. Still, credit must be given to this illustrious class of 1910, that they were able to winnow the chaff

from the wheat and to follow only those precepts of 1909 which were conducive to high moral and intellectual achievements.

The informal dance was well attended both by Harcourt and students of Kenyon as well as by many visitors from other towns. The music was excellent, considering the source from whence it came.

Next on the program came that play "A Night Off." This we shall pass over with slight comment, for indeed it seemed to be an off night for the players. The audience, however, were very well pleased and all appreciated the entertainment extremely.

Behold the Promenade given in honor of ten dignified Seniors! Is this all that remains of fifty-six? Yes, 'tis even so; the survival of the fittest. Passing on to the dance itself: strains of that glorious "Court House in the Sky" still strangely linger about the college dormitories. The seventeen encores were far from being sufficient. The fact that Mr. Johnston himself was present with his orchestra gave added spirit and zest to the music. The dance as a whole was a glorious success.

The entertainment furnished by the Glee and Mandolin Clubs on Tuesday evening was extremely fine. Credit should be given to Messrs. Tunks and Fullerton for presenting so fine a concert.

It is hard after such a week of prolonged pleasure and enjoyment to pick up again the drudgery of daily routine. Yet on the pages of memory we all can live over again those pleasant days and with one accord exclaim "The Prom. was a grand success."

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The COLLEGIAN is fortunate in the acquisition of two new men to the editorial board, Fred W. Carr and William A. Thomas. Henceforth we may expect the literary tone of the COLLEGIAN to be appreciably elevated.

JUNIOR INFORMAL.

The first event of Prom. week was the Junior Informal given at Rosse Hall, Friday evening, February fifth. It marked the end of a hard week for the undergraduates, and with the last "exam" over and forgotten they were ready to throw themselves into the mid-year festivities with a will. The hall was not decorated, since that transformation, according to custom, is

saved as a pleasant surprise on the evening of the formal; but a large orchestra had been secured and the dance was an unusually happy affair for an informal. There were a large number of girls visiting on the Hill, and these with the young ladies from Harcourt, combined to add the touch which makes this annual Junior Promenade an event which is looked forward to by all undergraduates from September until it actually is ushered in by the informal dance at the close of examination week. Although not so elaborate, the informal dance was one of the best events of the week and was thoroughly enjoyed by the large number who attended. The dancing lasted until well after midnight and it was with regret that the guests reluctantly wended their various homeward ways at 2 A. M. Saturday.

THE JUNIOR PLAY.

The farce entitled the "Night Off," played some years back by the famous Augustin Daly Stock Co., was given by the Junior Class at Rosse Hall, on the evening of Feb. 6th.

The play is a trifle overdrawn with a great deal of forced comedy, and is an exceedingly hard task for amateurs; but on the other hand, it possesses a few clever characters which help to redeem the faults and make it fairly entertaining. When such stars as John Drew, Ada Rehan and May Irwin could not give a successful rendition of the various parts, it is needless to say that the Junior Class deserves much credit for their ambitious attempt.

Although the action of the play was at times slow and boring, the young men were always in the spirit of the situation and brought up each climax to a height that did not come far from the mark. The dialogues were not always in working order, but the constant applause showed that the audience overlooked this and were pleased from beginning to end.

Mr. Tunks, in the part of Marcus Brutus Snap, the Fly-by-Night actor, gave a clever interpretation of his part and his well-read speeches and easy movements helped out more than one dragging moment.

The part of the old Professor fell to Mr. Bland who, despite his suffering from a cold at the time, sustained his reputation of former years.

The female parts, assumed by men, are always hard, but Messrs. Fultz, Emerine, Hardy and Martin made them stand out prominently in the piece. The remaining parts in the cast were portrayed by Messrs. Wiseman, Siegrist and Rood, and to say anything of their acting would only be a repetition of former criticisms.

Considering the small stage and lack of scenery and stage paraphernalia, the setting was as complete as could have been expected. The waits were short, the curtain worked successfully, and the lights did not expire, which in an amateur production seems unavoidable. The one man to whom the success of the entertainment was due is Mr. John Haight, of Bexley, who very kindly assisted the students by staging and directing the play.

CAST.

(Characters named in the order of their appearance).

Susan, the brassiest	Mr. Hardy
Prowl, usher at the University	Mr. Welsh
Justinian Babbitt, Professor of Ancient History at Camptown University	Mr. Bland
Harry Damask, his son-in-law	Mr. Wiseman
Angelica Damask, Harry's wife	Mr. Fultz
Marcus Brutus Snap, a tragedian who objects to the name Barnstormer	Mr. Tunks
Lord Mulberry, in pursuit of his son	Mr. Siegrist
Mrs. Zantippa Babbitt, Professor of conjugal management in the Professor's household	Mr. Martin
Nesbe, his daughter and the idol of the household	Mr. Emerine
Jack Mulberry, in pursuit of fortune under the name of Chumley	Mr. Rood
John, servant at Damask's	Mr. Scott

SCENES.

Act I. The Professor's Study. "Olivette."	
Act II. Reception Room at Damask's. "Camille."	
Act III. Same as Act I. "The Beautiful Sabine."	
Act IV. Same as Act III.	
Staged and directed by	Mr. Haight
Business Manager	Mr. White
Property Manager	Mr. Dunn

JUNIOR PROMENADE.

The 1910 Junior Promenade, held as usual in Rosse Hall on the evening of February 8th, was a great success from the minute the Seniors, in cap and gown, marched down the receiving line to the last strains of "Sing Me to Sleep" at 6:30, Tuesday morning.

Rosse Hall never looked more attractive than it did in its well-planned decorations of the 1910 colors—blue and old gold. In the center of the top was hung a great octagon wrapped in blue and old gold which was connected by solid bunting to a smaller frame of the same shape

some feet above giving the general effect of a dome. Down through this hung a chandelier studded with numerous electric lights. Both sides of the Hall were hung solid with bunting from where a canopy hung over the rows of bunting-wrapped benches, to the ground. This canopy was connected with the dome by long drooping streamers, which gave a very pleasing and artistic effect to the whole scheme. Rows of palms and ferns along the front of the stage almost hid Johnston's Orchestra from the sight of the dancers and in the balcony where supper was served the decorations were complete with bunting hung walls and small tables for four. The catering was unusually good and from forty to fifty were being served throughout the evening.

Johnston's Orchestra has never played better than it did on this occasion. The particularly good numbers were numerous and evenly divided between two-step and waltz. "Celeste Aida," "Court House in the Sky," "Mouse and the Clock," "The Palms", selections from "A Stubborn Cinderella," and "My Rosary" were some of the more popular ones.

The patronesses were: Mesdames Pierce, Sterling, Jones, West, Davies, Newhall, Smythe, Walton, Devol, Nichols, Hall, Harrison, Wieda, Hitchcock, Trimble, Benson, Lee, and Miss Harriette Merwin.

The members of the Junior Prom Committee, to whom we owe many thanks for a delightful evening are: Messrs. William J. Bland, Lyle F. Emerine, Royal A. Fultz, Arthur T. Sackett, Charles D. Sieghrist and A. Blakslee White.

"THE VIOLIN MAKER OF CREMONA."

"The Violin Maker of Cremona," a comédie in one act, by Francisco Coppee, was presented for the second time in Gambier on the evening of February 15th, 1909. It was produced for the first time some ten years ago. The cast which presented the play on Thursday night, may be spoken of as an "all-star" one, since its members had all won recognition in Gambier as talented performers. Mr. Marsh, who played the part of "Tadeo Ferrari," the violin maker so excellently has played successfully in many difficult roles since he first came to the "Hill."

The same may be said of Mr. Riley. His interpretation of the part of "Filippo," the disappointed lover, but victor in the contest, was very true and he had the sympathies of the audience from beginning to end. Mr. Tunks adapted himself well to a part which ill suited his peculiar gift of characterization. He took

the part of "Sandro," the successful lover whose skill as a violin maker was surpassed by his rival "Filippo." The part was quite unlike that which Mr. Tunks played in "The Private Secretary," and played so perfectly, and too much credit cannot be given him for his work on Monday night.

Last, but not least in importance, comes Miss Wilcox, who played "Giannina," the violin maker's daughter. All who were on the "Hill" last year when Mr. Long's play, "The New Commandment," was given, can testify to Miss Wilcox's ability and charm as an amateur actress and the least that can be said in praise of her work on Thursday night, is that she has lost none of that charming ability.

On account of the short time given for rehearsing, some of the lines were confused, but on the whole the stage work went off very smoothly. The work of "making up" the players and managing behind the scenes during the performance, fell to Mr. Haight, to whom great credit is due.

The "Comediette" was preceded by several "acts" of various kinds which made a very delightful "first half" of the evening's entertainment. The part taken by the children of the Sunday School was very prominent, and the cleverness which they displayed in going through their dances, bore testimony to conscientious work on the part of Miss White who, with Miss Welker and Miss Condit, had the matter in charge.

The entertainment was given for the benefit of the Parish House fund and over thirty dollars were cleared. This sum was good considering the inclement weather and the moderate prices charged for seats.

The program for the first half of the entertainment follows:

- Solo—"Mattinata" Tosti
MR. MARSH.
Selection—Monolog.
MR. FULLERTON.
Solo—"Daffodills" Greman
MISS CONDIT.
Selection—"Shamus O'Brien" Shiel
MR. SOARES.
Piano—"Perfumes of Italy" Leybach
MISS YOUNG.
Whistling Solo Selected
MR. ROOD.

1. Good-Night Drill (Repeated by request).
2. May Pole Dance.

CHILDREN OF THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Mr. Harkness accompanied on the piano.

GLEE AND MANDOLIN CLUB CONCERT.

The home concert by the Kenyon College Glee and Mandolin Clubs on Tuesday evening of Prom Week, was probably the most successful affair of its kind ever held at Rosse Hall. Both the Glee and Mandolin Clubs did excellent work. The Kenyon College Glee Club of last year under the leadership of Mr. Cahall was considered nearly perfect. It is of great credit to the present leader, Mr. Tunks, that the singing on Tuesday evening was considered by many to be fully equal to that of last year's Glee Club. When the number of new men on the club and the noticeable absence in college of good voices, are taken into consideration, Mr. Tunks may well be congratulated upon the successful entertainment. The principal features of the concert were the solos by Mr. Macowatt and the whistling by Mr. Rood. Part second of the program was well executed, the students sitting informally about the stage. The quartette and mandolin trio were very good. Mr. Fullerton as leader of the Mandolin Club, deserves equal credit with Mr. Tunks for out of apparent chaos he produced a mandolin club that in execution may be said to have surpassed that of last year.

After the concert a farewell informal was held. The music by Jackson's Orchestra was excellent. The dance was for the benefit of the athletic department and was well attended by nearly all of the weary but happy revellers of the previous evening.

The program was as follows:

FIRST PART.

1. A Song of College Days. C. B. Adams
GLEE CLUB.

2. Popular Medley.

MANDOLIN CLUB.

3. (a) The Temple Bells }
(b) Kashmiri Song } Lawrence Hope
MR. McCOWATT.

4. Mariner's Love Song. Paul Ambrose
GLEE CLUB.

5. Wild Rose. Mr. Dowall
MANDOLIN SEXTETTE AND MR. ROOD.

6. Bells of St. Michael's Tower. W. Knyvett
GLEE CLUB.

7. Selection from "A Stubbish Cinderella". Howard
MANDOLIN CLUB.

8. (a) Less Than the Dust }
(b) Till I Wake } Lawrence Hope
MR. McCOWATT.

9. Sweet and Low. Barnby
MANDOLIN CLUB.

10. Venetian Boat Song. Charles Cadman

GLEE CLUB.
Intermission.

Intermission.

PART SECOND.

11. Quartette—

MR. McCOWATT MR. TUNKS
MR. CABLE MR. SEIGCHRIST

12. Ragtowne.

MESSRS. FULLERTON, THOMAS AND BLAKE.

13. Songs of Kenyon.

GLEE CLUB.

14. Alma Mater.

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FREDERICK GEORGE HARKNESS, 1912.

Accompanist

FIRST TENORS—Walter Robson McCowatt, '09; Walter Fuller Tunks, '10; Hadley King Rood, '10; John Hiatt Scott, '10; James Hoag Cable, '11.

SECOND TENORS—Kirk Bassett O'Ferrall, '09; Edwin William Todd, '09; Walter Clark Darling, '11; George Esler Fullerton, '11; Kingdon Thornton Siddall, '11; William Goodwin Curtis, '11; Lecky Harper Russell, '11; Charles Donald Rarey, '11; Harold King Downe, '12.

FIRST BASSOS—Henry Kelly Davies, '08; Mark Huntington Wiseman, '10; William Archibald Thomas, '12; Frederick George Harkness, '12; Clifford Theodore Williams, '12; Russell Twigg Young, '12.

SECOND BASSOS—Van Allen Coolidge, '09; Charles Dale Seigchrist, '10; Bartelle Hilen Reinheimer, '11; Harlow Henry Gaines, '12; Warner Dayle Cook, '12; Edward Cyrus Underwood, '12.

THE MANDOLIN CLUB.

GEORGE ESLETT FULLERTON, 1911. Leader

FIRST MANDOLINS—George Esler Fullerton, '11; William Archibald Thomas, '12; Richard Roberts Harter, '11; Francis Keith Lawrence, '12.

SECOND MANDOLINS—Mark Huntington Wiseman, '10; Kingdon Thornton Siddall, '11; Sydney Franklin Culver, '12; Warren Scoville Corning, '12.

GUITAR—Alfred Blake, '12.

CELLO—William Ellsworth Gorsuch, '11.

TRAPS AND DRUMS—Hadley King Rood, '10.

BASKET-BALL.

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Kenyon, 22. Buchtel, 33.

On January 23d the basketball team journeyed to Akron where they were defeated by Buchtel. Score 33 to 22.

Handicapped at the start by the strange floor and by the injury to Crippen, nevertheless, the team played desperately and kept the score in doubt until the very end. Our boys played much better in the second half but Buchtel's lead was too large to overcome.

Lack of coaching was plainly evident in the Kenyon team and this same fault has been evident in every game played so far. The men risk long shots when a little team work would probably result in a basket. Captain Cordillo played in his usual form and kept Kenyon in the game at all times.

Line-up and summary:

BUCHTEL, 33.

KENYON, 22.

Jahant.....L. F.....Sanderson
Bisch.....R. F.....Bentley
Read.....C.....Henry
Iredell (C.).....L. G.....Schneerer
Williams.....R. G.....Cordillo (C.)

Substitutions—Simpson for Schneerer. Sanderson and Cordillo interchanged.

Field Goals—Sanderson, Bentley 2, Henry Cordillo, 5, Jahant 3, Risch 4, Iredell 2, Williams 4. Foul Goals—Risch 7 out of 12; Cordillo 4 out of 8. Referee—Parratt. Rules—Inter-collegiate. Score at end of first half—Buchtel 18, Kenyon 10.

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Kenyon, 27. Denison, 38.

On Saturday afternoon, January 30th, Denison defeated Kenyon in one of the most important games on our schedule. The week before Denison had given Oberlin a bad scare at Oberlin and in this way had brought their standing up.

The game throughout was sensational and time after time the spectators were brought to their feet by some long shot. Henry and Bentley made some wonderful shots in the first half and due to their efforts the half ended with the score a tie. Score 17 to 17.

The second half started off with a rush, first one team making a basket and then the other, tying the game up again. Captain Cordillo was better guarded in this game than in the previous ones and due to this he could not make his usual large number of baskets. Towards the latter part of the game Kenyon tired and the Denison team drew ahead. The game ended with the score 38 to 27 in Denison's favor.

Henry put up his best game of the year and made Livingstone, who is considered one of the best centers in the state, go some to keep up. Bentley also put up a rattling good game and it was his work that kept the game so interesting in the second half. Rockwood was the star for Denison. He made five baskets from a guard position and also guarded his man well. Livingston and Pine also played well.

KENYON, 27.

DENISON, 38.

Bentley.....R. F.....Pine
Coolidge-Sanderson.....L. F.....Rogers
Henry.....C.....Livingston
Cordillo (C.).....R. G.....White
Crippen.....L. G.....Rockwood

Field baskets—Bentley 6, Pine 4, Rockwood 5, Rogers 4, Henry 3, Livingstone 2, Cordillo 2. Foul baskets—Livingstone 7, Cordillo 5, Pine 1. Official—Kibler, Ohio State. Time of halves—20 minutes.

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Kenyon, 33. Otterbein, 39.

The Kenyon basketball team took their annual trip to Otterbein on Saturday, February 13th, and were defeated by the score of 39 to 33. The game was rough but very interesting. A peculiar thing happened when, after Bentley was removed from the game, it was found that Kenyon had no more subs. It was necessary to allow him to remain in the game. For the second time this year Captain Cordillo was removed from the game because of the fouls called on him. Kenyon easily outplayed the Westerville boys and made two more field baskets but the consistent foul throwing of Libecap proved our ruin. Throughout the game he tossed in eleven fouls. At the end of the first half the score stood 28 to 17 in Otterbein's favor. Henry was easily the Kenyon star, making six baskets to his opponent's two. Sanders and Libecap played the best game for Otterbein. The lack of coaching was again very much in evidence in the Kenyon playing and this brought about our downfall.

Line-up and summary:

OTTERBEIN, 39.

KENYON, 33.

Clymer.....L. F.....Bentley
Sanders.....R. F.....Henry-Cordillo
Libecap (C.).....C.....Schneerer-Henry
Bailey.....L. G.....Crippen-Coolidge
Lloyd.....R. G.....Cordillo-Sanderson

Summary—Field goals: Otterbein, Sanders 6, Clymer 4, Libecap 2, Lloyd 2; Kenyon, Henry 6, Bentley 3, Schneerer, Cordillo 5, Coolidge. Foul goals: Libecap 11, Cordillo 1. Referee, Kibler of Ohio State. Length of halves, 20 minutes.

THE 1909 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE.

Manager White in giving out his football schedule states that he has a game with every team in the big Nine except Oberlin and the reason for not playing Oberlin is that they could not agree on dates.

The schedule is as follows:

Sept. 6—Columbus East High at Gambier.
Oct. 2—Otterbein at Gambier.
Oct. 9—O. W. U. at Delaware.
Oct. 16—Wittenberg at Springfield.
Oct. 23—Reserve at Cleveland.
Oct. 30—Case at Cleveland.
Nov. 6—Heidelberg at Gambier.
Nov. 13—Denison at Granville.
Nov. 20—Wooster at Gambier.
Thanksgiving—O. S. U. at Columbus.

Manager White had opened negotiations for games with Carnegie Tech. at Pittsburg, and West Virginia at Morgantown, but the games could not be arranged on account of conflicting dates.

THE CHESS CLUB.

Every Saturday night in the Sterling room, some five or six members from both the faculty and student body spend together a very pleasant evening over the most ancient of games. At the last meeting it was decided that the Chess Club should be re-incorporated as "The Kenyon College Chess and Checker Club." Accordingly, a cordial invitation is extended to all men who care to indulge in either of these games to drop around on Saturday evenings.

The ability of the various members of the club will soon be put to a severe test. Mr. Capablanca, who is probably one of the most brilliant chess players in the United States, has consented to spend an evening on the Hill, and to play six boards simultaneously with the six best players of the club.

Capablanca is a Cuban by birth and during the last few months has made a brilliant record in the chess world. A few weeks ago he defeated E. P. Elliott the western chess champion. Mr. Elliot was one of a team of twenty-two players who opposed Capablanca in his simultaneous performance at the Minneapolis Chess Club. Out of the last two hundred games which the young Cuban expert has played, since he started out on his western trip, he has not lost a single game. If any member of the chess club should happen to win from this invincible conqueror, it would be a great feather for Kenyon College.

MEETINGS.

Assembly.

Meeting held January 29, 1909. President Brigman in the Chair.

Following the roll-call and minutes, Mr. Bland resigned as Secretary of the Assembly, on account of the pressure of other duties. His resignation was accepted.

Mr. Cunningham, as Secretary of the Executive Committee, made his report. This report was accepted as read.

The election of a man to fill the position of Secretary to the Assembly was then called for. Mr. Emerine and Mr. Lybarger were nominated. Mr. Lybarger withdrew, leaving the field to Mr. Emerine who was accordingly unanimously elected.

The report of Mr. Cassil, Chairman of the Honor Committee was then made and accepted by the Assembly.

It was moved and recorded to place the Rules of the Honor Committee in the By-laws of the Constitution. Mr. Coolidge proposed an amendment to the effect that the Rules should be read and signed at the first regular Assembly meeting of each year. The motion, as amended, was carried.

It was moved, seconded and carried that resolutions be drawn up by authority of the Assembly to boycott the merchants of Mt. Vernon because of their selfish stand in regard to Kenyon literary publications. Messrs. Wiseman, Lybarger and Tunks were appointed to draw up the resolutions.

Announcement was then made that Col. J. J. McCook, one of Kenyon's most famous alumni, would open the Students' Lecture Course on the eve of January 30th. The Committee is to be congratulated upon the beginning it has made.

It was moved, seconded, and carried, that a committee be appointed by the chair to formulate an Indoor Baseball League. Messrs. Carr, Fullerton, Coolidge, Kite, Mason and Southworth, (E.) were appointed to serve.

Capt. Cordillo made an encouraging report on the progress of the Basket-Ball team to date. The meeting was then adjourned.

Meeting held on evening of February 17th, 1909. This meeting was called primarily to pass on the changes made in the Constitution by the Revision Committee. Several other matters of more or less importance came up, however, which caused the meeting to extend over a period of an hour and three-quarters.

After the roll call and reading of the minutes, Mr. Carr was elected to succeed Mr. Cott on the

Dormitory Committee, whose departure from college caused a vacancy.

Messrs. Bland, Wiseman and Theobald, spoke on various subjects of interest to the Assembly.

Mr. Theobald moved the Assembly to adopt a resolution petitioning the Faculty of Kenyon College to grant men who "make" the Debating Teams, credit in required English. Credits in such work are given at the majority of colleges and there is no reason why they should not be given at Kenyon. It is hard, nerve-racking work and the men who are successful in it deserve more than the bare honor of making the team. Dr. Reeves is behind the movement and will second the petition when it is presented to the Faculty.

Capt. Coolidge offered some strong inducements to men who will come out for track and then Mr. Bland took up the main subject of the evening, the Report of the Revision Committee. The Assembly considered each section of the Constitution individually and carefully weighed every point before it was allowed to pass. The work of the Committee had been done extremely well and there was little that could be improved upon. The Constitution, as reformed, is published in the COLLEGIAN.

Nu Pi Kappa.

At the regular meeting of Nu Pi Kappa held on January 27th, 1909, Mr. Gorsuch was elected into the society and Mr. Dickinson was initiated.

The question to be debated upon in the Kenyon-Denison debate was then taken up and debated on: "Resolved, That the building of two battleships a year in accordance with the present policy of the United States is an insufficient rate of increase to our naval forces."

Mr. Hardy and Mr. Southward upheld the affirmative against Mr. Burris and Mr. Theobald who talked for the negative. The judges, Messrs. Attridge, Wood and Dun, decided in favor of the negative.

Reports by Mr. Scott and Mr. Brigman, as critic and censor, respectively followed.

It was decided, before adjournment, to drop from the rolls all members of Nu Pi who have not been present this year or who have taken more than five cuts.

Philomathesian.

The officers who preside over the workings of Philo this year are:

William Bland, President; James Cassil, Vice President; Bartel Reinheimer, Secretary; Goldsmith, Curator.

At the meeting held on January 26th, 1909, Mr. Bates was elected to membership in the Society and Mr. Hayward's name was proposed.

The program set for the evening included a debate on the subject, "Resolved, That K's shall be awarded to Managers of Athletic Teams." Messrs. Lybarger and Cassil upheld the affirmative and Messrs. Emerine and Kinder spoke on the negative. The judges awarded the debate to the negative.

Mr. Cott then addressed the meeting, his subject being "Why Men Leave Kenyon."

At the next regular meeting of Philo, held on February —, 1909, Mr. Hayward was voted a member of the society. It was decided that Philo should take the negative in the debate on government policy in regard to battleships. The debate for the evening was on the question which is to be used in the Kenyon-Denison debate. Messrs. Rood and Goldsmith took the affirmative and debated against Messrs. Martin and Lybarger. Mr. Fullerton and Mr. Gaines, acting as judges, gave the decision to the affirmative.

Executive Committee.

Meeting of January 13, 1909, called to order by Chairman Dr. Reeves. Other members present were, Dr. Walton, Messrs. Barber, Cassil, Cureton, and Coolidge. Manager Rarey reported \$125.60, total amount collected from season tickets, with \$12.00 outstanding. Expenses to date, including O. M. U. game, \$31.60, leaving a balance of \$94.00. He was granted a budget of \$12.00 to take the team to Delaware and authorized to guarantee Western Reserve \$35.00 in place of \$32.50. Manager White of the football team submitted a contract with Case which was ratified. Mr. D. K. Martin was elected Track Manager. The meeting adjourned.

Meeting of January 20th called to order by Chairman Dr. Reeves. Other members present were Dr. Walton, Messrs. Cureton, Cassil, Tunks and Cunningham. Minutes of the last meeting read and accepted. Manager Rarey made the following report on the O. W. U. game:

Guarantee.....	\$35.00
Expenses.....	31.35

Profit..... \$ 3.65

Leaving a total amount on deposit of \$97.60. A budget of \$20.00 was voted to take the team to Akron.

Mr. Lybarger, manager of the COLLEGIAN, reported as follows:

Received—From advertising	\$17.00
From student subscriptions ..	98.00
From alumni subscriptions ..	67.50
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	\$182.50
Total expenses	117.72
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Balance receipts since September	64.78
On hand in September	9.44
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Total balance	\$74.22

Manager White submitted the following football dates: Otterbein at Gambier, October 2; O. W. U. at Delaware, October 9; Reserve at Cleveland, October 23; Wooster at Gambier, November 20. These dates were ratified.

It was voted to grant Manager Siegchrist of the Glee Club stationery. Mr. Cott reported that the athletic dance would be given on February 9. Mr. Cassil was made a member of the dance committee. The following baseball dates were ratified for Manager Bland:

Otterbein at Westerville, April 3.

Otterbein at Gambier, May 27.

It was voted that the three managers who use Benson Field should take care of the fence surrounding it. The meeting adjourned.

Meeting of January 27, called to order by Chairman Dr. Reeves. Other members present were Dr. Walton, Messrs. Cassil, Cureton, Barber, Coolidge, Tunks, Sackett, and Cunningham. Minutes of the last meeting were read and accepted. It was decided to keep Denison on the football schedule and Manager White was given the power to choose as he thought best, between the University of West Virginia and Carnegie Tech. for a football game on October 9. Manager Bland submitted the following baseball contracts: O. S. U. at Gambier, April 28; Reserve at Gambier, April 16. These dates were ratified.

Manager Rarey reported as follows on the Buchtel game:

Receipts	\$40.00
Expenses	37.50
Profit	\$2.50

The manager also reported \$101.10 in the basketball treasury and offered the following contracts:

Marietta at Marietta, Feb. 19.

Ohio at Athens, Feb. 20.

Guarantee \$40.00 in each case

Manager Martin of the Track Team, announced that May 22 had been decided upon as the date for the Interscholastic Track Meet. It was voted to turn over \$30.00 to the Track Team as soon as possible. Mr. Rarey was elected assistant manager of the Glee Club.

Meeting of February 3 called to order by Chairman Dr. Reeves. Other members present were Dr. Walton, Coolidge, Cassil, Cureton, and Cunningham. Minutes of the last meeting were read and accepted.

Owing to the withdrawal of Manager Martin from college the position of track manager was left vacant and Mr. Coolidge was instructed to transact the business of this department until a manager might be elected. Meeting adjourned.

Meeting of February 17 called to order by Chairman Dr. Reeves. Other members present were Dr. Walton, Messrs. Cureton, Cunningham, Coolidge, Barber, Tunks, and Cassil. Minutes of last meeting read and accepted. Mr. Kinder was unanimously elected manager of the Track Team. A contract was submitted for a meet with Otterbein on May 15 and ratified. A budget of \$5.27 was granted Manager Bland for expenses, and one of \$10.00 to Manager White for expenses incurred in making out schedules.

The following football dates were submitted by Manager White and ratified by the Committee Wittenberg at Springfield, Oct. 17.

Denison at Granville, Nov. 13, with a return game the following year.

Mr. Sanderson was elected assistant football manager. Manager Rarey reported as follows:

Expenses (including Denison game)	\$38.00
Receipts (gate and additional season tickets)	15.30

Less in Treasury	\$ 22.70
Balance last reported	\$101.10
Less	22.70

Balance in Treasury

The Otterbein game resulted in a profit of \$0.40.

Manager Siegchrist of the Glee Club reported as follows:

Receipts of Concert	\$95.75
Expenses of Concert	16.00

Balance	\$79.75
Outstanding	1.50

Possible Balance	\$81.25
Glee Club Expenses	25.57

Balance	\$55.68
Budget of expenses	2.00

Total amount turned in to Dr. Walton, \$53.68

Manager Siegchrist was voted a budget of \$2.00 for expenses. The meeting adjourned without further business.

CONSTITUTION OF THE ASSEMBLY.

ARTICLE I.

NAME.

This organization shall be known as the Kenyon College Assembly.

ARTICLE II.

OBJECT.

To be an organization in which the authority of the student body shall be vested and by which said authority shall be exercised.

ARTICLE III.

ORGANIZATION.

SECTION 1. For the purpose of convenience, the members of this organization shall be considered as being divided into the following six sections: The first five sections to consist of the members of the five national fraternities (named in the order of their establishment). The first section to consist of the members of Delta Kappa Epsilon; the second, of the members of Alpha Delta Phi; the third, of the members of Psi Upsilon; the fourth, of the members of Beta Theta Pi; the fifth, of the members of Delta Tau Delta; and the sixth section to consist of those members of this organization not members of said fraternities.

Sec. 2. For the purpose named in Article II, this organization shall be divided into the following dependent departments:

1. The Department of Football.
2. The Department of Baseball.
3. The Department of Track Athletics.
4. The Department of Basketball.
5. The Department of Tennis.
6. The Oratorical and Debating Association.
7. A Glee and Mandolin Club.
8. A Dramatic Club.
9. The Kenyon Collegian.
10. The Kenyon Orchestra.

ARTICLE IV.

MEMBERSHIP.

SECTION 1. All students of Kenyon College shall become members of this organization upon payment of an athletic fee of two and one-half dollars assessed on semester term bills. Members of the Faculty of Kenyon College shall become members of this organization by special election.

ARTICLE V.

OFFICERS.

SECTION 1. The officers of this organization shall be a President, Vice President, Secretary,

Treasurer, Assistant Treasurer and the following standing committees:

- (a) An Executive Committee.
- (b) An Honor Committee.
- (c) A Dormitory Committee.

Sec. 2. The Executive Committee shall consist of nine members and shall be constituted as follows: The first member, who shall be chairman, shall be chosen from the members of the Faculty but shall have no vote except in case of a tie. The second member shall be the Treasurer above named, also chosen from the members of the Faculty as hereinafter provided, but shall have no vote. The other seven members shall be chosen from among the members of the student body as follows: One member to be chosen from each of the national fraternities named in Article III, Section 1, and two members from among that portion of the student body not affiliated with any of the above mentioned fraternities.

Sec. 3. The Honor Committee shall be chosen in the same manner as the last seven members of the Executive Committee, with this additional provision: It shall consist of three Seniors, two Juniors, one Sophomore and one Freshman.

Sec. 4. The Dormitory Committee shall be chosen from among the members of the Senior class in the same manner as the last seven members of the Executive Committee with this additional provision: In case a constitutional division has no Senior, a Junior shall be chosen.

Sec. 5. These officers with the exception of the assistant Treasurer and Honor Committee, shall be elected annually by ballot at the regular Assembly Meeting in May of each year.

Sec. 6. The Treasurer shall be elected by the Assembly from the members of the Faculty. The Assistant Treasurer shall be elected by the Executive Committee from among their own number, upon organization of that body. The Honor Committee shall be elected at the first meeting of the Assembly in each collegiate year and shall hold office during that collegiate year.

Sec. 7. All vacancies in office shall be filled by election at the first meeting of the Assembly after office shall fall vacant.

Sec. 8. Each of the six sections of the student body shall be represented on the three above named standing committees every year.

Sec. 9. The President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer and Dormitory Committee shall take office immediately upon election and shall hold office till the election of their successors. The terms of the Assistant Treasurer and the Executive Committee shall be the same as that of the Honor Committee; namely, the length of the collegiate year.

ARTICLE VI.

MEETINGS.

SECTION 1. The Assembly shall meet regularly on the first Monday evening in every month, unless, in the judgment of the President, there are imperative reasons for postponing this meeting; in which case it shall be held as soon thereafter as possible.

SEC. 2. The Assembly shall meet, on call of its President, whenever in his judgment such a meeting is necessary, or whenever five members of the Assembly request such a meeting.

ARTICLE VII.

DUTIES.

SECTION 1. It shall be the duty of the President to preside over all meetings of the Assembly, to preserve order, to appoint all committees not otherwise provided for, to see that the respective officers and committees rightly perform the duties assigned them, and to call special meetings as herein before provided.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the Vice-President to assist the President in the performance of his duties, and to exercise all the powers of the President in the absence of that officer.

SEC. 3. It shall be the duty of the Secretary to keep a roll of the members and a record of all proceedings of the Assembly in a book devoted to that use; to keep the official Constitution of the Assembly and to copy therein all amendments made to the Constitution.

SEC. 4. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to receive all the moneys of the different departments of the Assembly, and to keep a separate account of each, and to pay all orders signed by the Chairman or Secretary of the Executive Committee.

SEC. 5. It shall be the duty of the Assistant Treasurer to collect all fees, dues and subscriptions of the Assembly itself, to pay the same to the Treasurer and to otherwise act as the assistant to the Treasurer.

SEC. 6. It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee:

To meet on call of their chairman or at such times as they may agree upon.

To elect the assistant Treasurer of the Assembly as herein before provided.

To elect the business manager and the assistant business manager for each of the departments named in Article III, Section 2. A candidate must receive five votes to be elected.

To require a report from any business manager or his assistant as often as they may deem necessary. In such reports no money shall be

considered to have been paid out by a manager unless he have vouchers, or other satisfactory evidence, to show for the same.

To control the disbursement of all moneys belonging to the Assembly.

To adjust all difficulties arising in the relation of the different departments.

SEC. 7. It shall be the duty of the Honor Committee:

(a) To draw up a set of permanent rules, which shall be incorporated as a by-law in this Constitution, for the conduct of all tests and examinations, and to see that said rules are explained to each new student and duly signed by him not later than two weeks after his registration as a student of Kenyon College.

(b) To enforce all the said rules.

(c) To inflict the following penalty:

(1) The penalty for all violations of the rules, after the offender shall have been proved guilty in the judgment of the Committee at a hearing where he shall have full opportunity to prove his innocence, shall be expulsion from the College.

SEC. 8. It shall be the duty of the Dormitory Committee:

(a) To meet on the call of the President of the Assembly who shall preside until the election of a chairman. The chairman shall then preside at all meetings of the Committee; shall convene the committee whenever in his judgment or in the judgment of the President of the College it may become necessary; and shall otherwise act as its official head.

(b) To hold regular meetings once every month, these meetings to be held in consultation with the President of the College.

(c) To maintain order and discipline in the College dormitories.

(d) To enforce the rules of the Trustees and Faculty forbidding the keeping or drinking of intoxicating liquors in college grounds or in college buildings.

(e) To apportion all assessments upon the deposit for general damage.

(f) To report to and consult with the President of the College upon janitor service.

(g) To undertake such other responsibilities as may from time to time be imposed upon it by vote of the Assembly or by the President or Faculty of the College.

(h) To advise the Assembly to inflict the following penalties for violation of the dormitory regulations:

1. In the first instance, a vote of censure by the Assembly. The motion for this vote shall be made by the chairman of the dormitory committee.

2. In the second instance, suspension of from one to four weeks from the usual privileges of the College Dormitories.

3. In the third instance, punishment at the discretion of the Faculty.

(1) To draw up a pledge embodying the above rules and to see that it is signed by all new students of the College after being thoroughly explained by their chairman or someone appointed by them for that purpose.

ARTICLE VIII.

DEPARTMENT MEMBERSHIP.

SECTION 1. Members of the Assembly shall be eligible to membership in any departments.

SEC. 2. Members of the football, baseball, track, basketball and tennis teams, shall be chosen by the coach or athletic director, and captain, or by the captain alone in case there is no coach or athletic director.

SEC. 3. Members of those departments, having department constitutions accepted by the Assembly, shall be chosen as specified by their respective constitutions, copies of said constitutions to be entered in minute-book of the Assembly.

ARTICLE IX.

DEPARTMENT MANAGERS.

SECTION 1. The executive power of each department shall be vested in a Business Manager, who shall be an undergraduate member of the Assembly, elected according to Article VI, Section 5.

SEC. 2. The manager of the tennis department shall be chosen from among the members of the tennis association.

SEC. 3. It shall be the duty of the Managers of the different departments to arrange all games and contests, and to make all settlements with opposing teams.

SEC. 4. No manager of any department shall disburse any money except on the authority of the Executive Committee.

SEC. 5. The manager of each department and his assistant shall be responsible for all uniforms, properties, care of grounds, etc., pertaining to his department, and shall collect all dues and fees of his department.

SEC. 6. All the duties not otherwise assigned shall devolve upon the business managers of the departments.

ARTICLE X.

DEPARTMENT ORGANIZATION.

SECTION 1. The members of the football, baseball, basketball, track and tennis teams who have received their K's, shall elect captains for their respective teams at the close of their respective athletic seasons.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of said captains to have full charge of teams on the field.

SEC. 3. The members of the Glee and Mandolin Clubs and Orchestra shall elect leaders for the ensuing year before the end of the second semester of each year.

SEC. 4. Each leader shall choose all members and have full control of the clubs at all rehearsals and concerts.

SEC. 5. For the election of the captain of any athletic team, a majority vote of the members of said team, entitled to vote, shall be necessary to elect, except that a two-thirds vote shall be required to elect, if said candidate be a member of a section of the student body holding a captaincy in one of the other athletic departments during the same collegiate year. In case of tie vote managers are entitled to vote.

ARTICLE XI.

SECTION 1. A report shall be submitted to the Secretary of the Executive Committee immediately after the last activity of each of the seasons of Departments 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 of Section 2 of Article III of the Constitution by the coach or athletic director of said departments in conjunction with the captain, or in case there be no coach or athletic director, by the captain, containing the list of members of the respective squad who have performed the amount of athletic work required under Section 2 of this article for an athletic K, and from this report only shall those men be selected to whom athletic Ks shall be awarded.

SEC. 2. Athletic Ks shall be awarded in the following manner:

(1) A seven inch black K, mauve color, to be worn on white sweater or sweater vest and a one and one-fourth inch K, to be worn on cap, shall be awarded to each of those members of the football department who shall have played all of 50% or parts of 70% of the intercollegiate games of one season as follows:

Season in games.	All.	Parts.
7	3½	5
8	4	6
9	4½	6

The same requirement shall be necessary for a vote in the selection of a football captain.

(2) A six-inch white Egyptian K to be worn on blue Jersey and a one-inch white Egyptian K to be worn on cap, shall be awarded to each of the members of the baseball department who shall have played all of 50% of parts or 70% of the intercollegiate games of one season as follows:

Season in games.	All.	Pitcher.	Parts.	Pitcher.
13	6	4	9	5
14	7	4	10	5
15	7	4	10	6
16	8	5	11	6
17	8	5	12	7
18	9	5	13	7

A Pitcher shall be awarded a K, as provided for in Section 1, when he has pitched all of 30% or parts of 40% of the intercollegiate games of one season as above.

The same requirements shall be necessary for a vote in the selection of a baseball captain.

(3) A white Egyptian K inclosed in a circle to be worn only on blue Jersey, shall be awarded to each of those members of the basketball department who shall have played all of 50% or parts of 70% of the intercollegiate games of one season as follows:

Season in games.	All.	Parts.
7	3½	5
8	4	6
9	4½	6

The same requirements shall be necessary for a vote in the selection of a basketball captain.

(4) A white block K inclosed in a circle to be worn only on blue Jerseys, shall be awarded to each of those members of the track department who shall have won a first place in a dual meet with a "Big Six Conference" team or who shall have won one point in the "Big Six Conference" meet, or who shall have broken a Kenyon record in winning a first place in any intercollegiate meet, or shall have been a member of the relay team winning first place in competition with a "Big Six" Conference team.

The same requirement shall be necessary for a vote in the selection of a track captain.

(5) A four-inch white K over two crossed rackets shall be awarded to each of those members of the tennis department who shall have won a place by tournament on the College team.

The same requirement shall be necessary for a vote in the selection of a tennis captain.

(6) Managers of football and baseball teams shall be entitled to wear K's on caps as prescribed for their respective teams.

Basketball managers shall be entitled to wear one-inch white Egyptian K's enclosed in a circle on blue caps.

Track managers shall be entitled to wear one-inch white block K's enclosed in circle on blue cap.

Tennis managers shall be entitled to wear K's on caps as prescribed for the tennis team.

(7) Only those freshmen who have done faithful service in the various athletic departments shall be allowed to wear their class num-

erals; these numerals shall be awarded by the executive committee, upon recommendation of the respective captains.

(8) The executive committee shall have sole power to award K's.

Presentation of K's shall be made by the chairman of the executive committee in assembly meeting.

K's shall be furnished by the executive committee from standard models in its possession.

ARTICLE XII.

AMENDMENTS.

SECTION 1. Any proposed amendment to this constitution or by-laws shall be read and laid on the table at least one week before action is taken.

SEC. 2. No amendment to this constitution or by-laws shall be passed except by a three-fourths vote of the members present.

SEC. 3. For purposes of amendment and general understanding this constitution shall be read twice yearly at the first regular meeting in each semester before the Assembly by its Secretary.

BY-LAWS.

I. QUORUM.

A majority of the members of the Assembly shall constitute a quorum.

II. ORDER OF BUSINESS.

1. Roll call.
2. Reading minutes of preceding meeting.
3. Secretary's report.
4. Treasurer or Assistant Treasurer's report.
5. Report of Secretary of the Executive Committee.
6. Report of Committees.
7. Election of Officers.
8. Miscellaneous business.
9. Adjournment.

III.

No member of the Executive Committee shall be elected Business Manager of any department.

IV.

Five members shall constitute a quorum of the Executive Committee.

V.

In case of any disagreement in the Executive Committee or between the Executive Committee and any Manager, appeal shall be made to the Assembly.

VI. RULES OF HONOR COMMITTEE.

1. Hours for examinations: 8 A. M. to 12 M.; 2 P. M. to 6 P. M.

2. No books, papers or stationery shall be taken into the examination building except by permission of the professors, not including mail.

3. No one shall ask for the spelling of any word.

4. No one shall leave examination hall except to go to the toilet room.

At a meeting of the Puff and Powder Club held in Colburn Hall, Thursday Evening, Feb. 11th, Messrs. Riley, Marsh and Sturgis being present, the following men were elected to membership in recognition of ability shown in recent dramatics: Tunks, Rood, Wiseman, Bland and Martin. Election of officers took place at a later meeting held in the Sterling Room on Tuesday, Feb. 16th. Dr. Reeves was chosen Supervisor, Mr. Tunks, President and Stage Manager.

EXAMS ARE OVER.

O what a relief to know that exams are over, and that for eighteen whole weeks we can breathe freely again. For eighteen whole weeks we can go to bed when we feel like going and with our minds at ease, knowing that the next day will not bring forth those horrible examinations, to stare us in the face.

What joy to again go to bed and not have any of those examination nightmares. To go to bed and not dream of being called before the Faculty and summarily dismissed from College, because you worked all your calculus problems backwards, standing on your head right before the whole Faculty. Not to dream that the Greek would not stand still on the page, and that after you did pin it down and had written out the translations, composition and grammar questions, that it all faded from your paper and you had to hand in a blank examination book.

O what happiness not to dream that you had to take your Philosophy exam orally and that "Fat" ask the questions in Esperanto and of course the whole class flunked.

O, what bliss not to dream that you crammed until your head began to swell, and swelled and swelled until it got so heavy that it would have broken your neck had you not wakened up to find your head hanging over the side of the bed and that it is time to get up and take an exam in Devil's History.

Many thanks to Father Time for speeding that week, beginning January 30th and ending February 5th, by so quickly. Thanks to him that once more your mind is freed from those heavy burdens caused by that one little word Exams. That one little word that will cause you to shiver to your dying day. And when we all get to Heaven the first thing we will probably ask is "Please, God, don't give us any exams."

KENYON ORATORICAL ASSOCIATION.

The Kenyon Oratorical Association has been revived with new interest this year. Manager Theobald has arranged debates with Denison and Allegheny College, of Meadville, Pa., the latter debate to be held at Meadville. The Denison debate comes March 3, at Gambier and the question is: "Resolved, that the building of two battleships a year in accordance with the present policy of the United States government, is an insufficient rate of increase in our naval forces." Kenyon will debate the negative side. There are to be many competitors in the preliminaries soon to be held and added zest is given the enterprise owing to a plan which is being considered of giving credits in required English to those making the debating team. Several other debates are planned and it is likely that this year will see Kenyon making a strong bid for intellectual honors throughout this and perhaps other states.

OLD GLORY.

Often this year have we had the opportunity to raise our beautiful flag to the top of our new flag staff and there to enjoy the sight of the most beautiful, the most glorious, the most wonderful flag of any nation in the world—"The Star Spangled Banner."

On the 8th of February, Prom Day, Old Glory waved the welcome to every visitor on the hill and the wind did its part well in floating that magnificent flag straight out from the flag pole, nearly the whole of the day.

Then, on February 12th, the one-hundredth anniversary of Lincoln's birthday, the flag was again raised to do honor to the man who above all others, kept that collection of bright and beautiful stars together by dint of his wonderful mind and who with his own life blood cemented those stripes into an eternal brotherhood.

What a glorious sight it was on that bright sunshiny morning, on getting clear of Ascension Hall to see Old Glory floating calmly and serenely above everything. More than one man stopped and gazed, and as he looked at that flag which means so much, what a thrill of patriotism ran through him, and if he did not take off his hat to that flag, it was not the fault of the flag. For if anything should command respect, if anything should call forth reverence, it is that blessed old flag and what it stands for. "And long may the star spangled banner yet wave o'er the land of the free and the home of the brave."

LIBRARY NOTES.

In the first alcove to the right, as you enter the Library, Mr. Dempsey, of Cleveland, has caused to be put on the wall, a brass tablet with Lincoln's Gettysburg Address upon it. On Friday exercises were held commemorating the 100th anniversary of Lincoln's birthday when the tablet was formally presented to Kenyon, and at eight o'clock that night Mr. Everett Cathell delivered his famous address on "Lincoln." This was given in connection with the Larwell Lecture series.

The smoke problem is one which is interesting to every one living in the city. In the February number of the "Review of Reviews," John Llewellyn Cochran tells "How the Government Solves the Smoke Problem." His first statement is "The smokeless American City is coming in the very near future," and goes on with a very interesting account of how the government has grappled with the problem and solved it.

Nearly every one of the February magazines contains some account of the life of Abraham Lincoln, whose 100th birthday we celebrated the 12th of this month. The "Century" magazine has an article called "Lincoln, the Leader," by Richard Watson Gilder. Along with the article are quite a few photographs of valuable portraits of Lincoln. These pictures, together with the well written article, make this, perhaps, the most interesting of all the articles published in the February number of the magazines on our library shelves.

Quite a number of new books have come in within the last few days and are as yet uncatalogued. Mrs. James P. Stevens, widow of Mr. Stevens of the Class of '59, has given to the library a set of books known as the "Dictionary of Ecclesiastical Information," by G. Moroni. This set consists of 103 volumes, written in Italian and is the first authority on Papal Rome. There are a number of classical books among this last installment, the most important of which are the following: Dooge's "The Acropolis of Athens"; "The Works of Xenophon," by H. G. Dasyus; "A History of Classical Scholarship," 3 vols.; "Mirabeau and the French Revolution," Vol. I, by Fred Morrow Fling, to be completed in three volumes. There are also some historical and economic books of great value and a few English books of reference. Among the collection is a book by Thomas Nelson Page, entitled "Robert Lee," the Southerner. There is a very interesting little

book by Mary Winearles Porter on "What Rome was Built With," and one is quite surprised on reading it to find out the different kinds and colors of marble that exists in the world. To any one interested in country life and its influence on progress, the book entitled "Chapters in Rural Progress," by Kenyon L. Butterfield will be very enjoyable.

BEXLEY NOTES.

On the evening of January 29th, the Rev. Chas. E. Byrer, Rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Columbus, addressed the Missionary Society of Bexley Hall, his subject being "Adventure for God." His coming had been announced generally throughout Gambier and opportunity of preparing for him was given everyone who might be interested. He made Bishop Brent's book, "Adventure for God," the framework of his lecture and copies of this book were scattered throughout Gambier. Considering all this the attendance, especially on the part of the College men, was not complimentary to the speaker nor to the men who were instrumental in bringing him here. Those who did attend can vouch for the strength of the talk and the effect which it had upon the listeners. After the lecture a social hour was passed in Colburn Hall, where light refreshments were served.

A very good portrait, in oil, of Mrs. Livinia C. Colburn, the donor of Colburn Hall, now hangs in the Bexley Library which bears her name.

On February 25th and 26th, the Rev. Dr. John H. Hopkins, representative of the Fifth Missionary District of the Protestant Episcopal Church, addressed the students of Bexley, Kenyon and Harcourt, at various meetings, on his work in the Middle West. His appeal for strong, self-sacrificing workers is a very strong one and should find a response in some earnest man or woman who is interested in social service.

Immediately following Lent, Kennedy's "dramatized sermon," "The Servant in the House," will be presented in Rosse Hall by students of Bexley, assisted by Mr. Tunks and two other players who will take the feminine parts. This presentation of so good a work may be anticipated with a great deal of pleasure, without fear of disappointment. The proceeds will go towards helping Mr. Reifsneider in his noble work in Japan, and no pains will be spared

in making the production a success both financially and artistically. All that special scenery and an orchestra can do to brighten the effect will be utilized and the cast has been selected with great care.

Miss Greener, of Columbus, whose work at the State Institution for the Deaf, has attracted very favorable attention, will be in Gambier on March 20th, to address the Bedell Missionary Society of Bexley upon "The Appeal of the Deaf." Her work, which is unique in itself, will no doubt interest many. For instance, there are few who realize that a crowd of devoted deaf mutes "hear" the sermons in Trinity, Columbus, every Sunday morning, from the supple hand of Miss Greener. This is one branch of her valuable work.

ALMA MATER.

(Tune "Fair Harvard")

I.

Fair school of the sciences, technical queen
Of the vigorous Western Reserve,
We stand by you gladly with confident mien
For we trust in your spirit and nerve.
We've followed your colors, the white and the brown
In many a scrimmage and game,
You may be deficient in class renown,
But we're proud of you just the same.

II.

No moss-covered battlements, hoary with age,
No quadrangles, gateways and towers,
No wonderful legends to story the page
For this young Alma Mater of ours.
She shows no deep wrinkles, or silvery hair,
This lively young technical dame,
But she teaches her children to do and to dare,
And we're proud of her just the same.

III.

We cannot gaze down the long aisles of the past,
At the ancestral students of yore,
But we can be ancestors, rightly so classed,
Whom posterity can but adore.
And so as the future becomes the today,
And our little ones play at the game,
They may sing to us veterans, wrinkled and gray,
"But we're proud of you just the same."

—From Case Song Book.

STATE ORATORICAL CONTEST OF THE INTERCOLLEGIATE PEACE ASSOCIATION.

In connection with oratory a fine opportunity is offered to those who are interested in such matters. For particulars anyone can apply to Dr. Hall who is one of the members of the Ohio committee.

PRIZES OFFERED—First prize, \$35.00; second prize, \$15.00.

DATE OF CONTEST—The state contest will probably be held early in April. The exact date will be given later. Particulars concerning the Interstate Contest will also be given a little later.

OHIO COMMITTEE OF THE INTERCOLLEGIATE PEACE ASSOCIATION—Prof. Stephen F. Weston, Chairman, Antioch College; Dean Wm. P. Rogers, Law School, University of Cincinnati; Prof. C. E. Goodell, Denison University; Prof. A. Cleveland Hall, Kenyon College; Prof. C. E. Blanchard, Ohio State University.

SUBJECTS THAT HAVE BEEN USED FOR ORATIONS—The Challenge of Thor, Arbitration vs. War, The Pathway to Peace, The United States of the World, The Significance of the Hague Peace Conference, Fruits of War and Fruits of Peace, The Solving Principle of Federation, America and the World's Peace, Military Selection and Its Effects on National Life, The Physical and Psychological Aspects of War, The Conflict of War and of Peace, A Plea for International Peace, The New-Anglo Saxon, International Arbitration, The Origin and Development of the Peace Movement, Peace is our Passion, A Vision of a Conquest, The United States and the World's Peace, International Peace.

NEW SUBJECTS—Idealism and the Peace Movement, The Social Psychology of War, Possibilities of the Intercollegiate Peace Association, Public Opinion vs. a Navy in Settling International Disputes, The Prestige of National Greatness as a World Peacemaker, International Peace and the Brotherhood of Man, The Significance for International Peace of a Permanent World Congress, A Permanent International Court and the World's Peace, Human Justice and Courts of Arbitration, Effects of War and Effects of Peace, War and Economics.

Intercollegiate debating is coming more and more to the front each year. This is especially true in Ohio colleges.

The Allegheny "Campus" recently contained an article on the faculty of that institution from 1851 to 1854. The personal side of the instructors at that time was well brought out, and the article was most interesting reading.

Allegheny, Wooster and Dickinson have organized a triangular debating league. Two of these leagues already exist in Ohio. They are the Western Reserve-Oberlin-Ohio Wesleyan, and the Denison-Otterbein-Heidelberg associations. This year Kenyon will meet on the platform, Allegheny, Ohio Wesleyan and Denison, thus competing with one participant from each league.

The Ohio State "Lantern" bemoans the fact that the decreased state revenues this year prevent the erection of expected new buildings.

A movement is under way at Denison University to secure a chapter of Phi Beta Kappa. Most of the Ohio colleges at present have this honorary fraternity.

Ohio State University Alumni are raising a fund to reward members of successful debating teams. It is thought the prizes will be fifty dollars each.

Recently an organization of all "D" men was formed at Denison. The object of the organization is co-operation in all branches of athletics.

A late issue of the Case "Tech." contained an article on the duty of an alumnus to his college. The article was most interesting. However, we are glad and proud that we can say that Kenyon's alumni are too loyal to need even such a gentle reminder as that published in our Cleveland contemporary.

PRINCETON.

The track schedule for this spring has been announced at Princeton. The unusual feature of the schedule is the increase in the number of meets during the early half of the season, while the indoor work is in progress. In the schedule there are five indoor meets, the first being with Columbia on February 13th. The first outdoor meet is to come off on April 20.

HARVARD BASEBALL WORK STARTED.

Last Wednesday baseball work was begun in earnest at Harvard, under the direction of Coaches Piefer and Mathewson. All members of last year's team except Leonard and McCall, who may return again, are in college. The pitchers look very well this season, in addition to Hartford who has had great success against Yale and Hicks last year's veteran, there is McKay who as a member of the Freshmen last year demonstrated that he had the goods. With this array of hurlers and Capt. Currier behind

the plate the crimson batteries should be of championship caliber. The infield though not quite so intact, with the addition of some excellent new material should round out well. In the gardens the entire last year's field has returned. Taking all in all the prospects for a championship team have never appeared much brighter.

UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI PLANS A NEW BUILDING.

The University of Cincinnati is putting forth every effort to raise money for the erection and maintenance of an engineering college, by means of a municipal bond issue. For the present students in the engineering courses will be required to do their practical work in industrial shops about the city.

THE UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON.

Unique among colleges of the world, the University of Washington will soon be the possessor of several magnificent new buildings which a college would not ordinarily obtain in a decade. Lack of accommodations for the normal increase of students has resulted in a decrease in enrollment of new students this school year and the natural growth of the school has been seriously retarded. Now a remedy for these evils has been found in an appropriation of one million dollars by the state for the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition, which will be held next summer on the University campus. Six hundred thousand dollars of this goes to permanent buildings for the University. Three of the largest are the Auditorium, the Machinery Hall and the Fine Arts buildings, which are destined to become the University Auditorium, the Mechanics Hall and the Chemistry building.

These are all of pleasing architectural design and finish, harmonizing well with the present administration building and besides serving in an eminently satisfactory manner the uses to which they are destined will be a distinct adornment to the campus.

Besides these buildings, built by legislative appropriation, there will be other permanent and semi-permanent buildings erected by various states, counties and societies, which will serve to house new departments and provide much needed class-rooms. Although it has not yet been definitely decided to what purpose each building will be dedicated, some have been assigned, as for instance, the unique Forestry building of logs and native woods, appropriately enough, to the Forestry Department, and the California State Building, a beautiful example of Spanish Mission architecture, will be used for recitation rooms in the Department of Liberal Arts.

ALUMNI PAGE.

The editor's plea, in a recent issue of the COLLEGIAN, for contributions to the Alumni section of the paper has not met with very satisfactory results. It is a strange thing that Kenyon men, who profess such devotion to the College, often take little or no interest in some of her most vital activities, when with no real sacrifice on their part they might do a lot of good. It certainly cannot be denied that a live college paper, full of interesting topics from both undergraduates and Alumni—a paper containing more than the stereotyped news items that deal with the routine events of college life, the marriages, deaths or new "jobs" of various Alumni, is a splendid thing for any institution to have. What we would like to see in the COLLEGIAN is more of the IDEAS of Kenyon men, their views on this or that matter pertaining to Kenyon, and—a little nonsense.

We boast a lot of our Kenyon spirit and yet how little of it is really applied in the right direction. How many Kenyon men there are who are content to be just what they are: Kenyon men; to attend perhaps an occasional Kenyon gathering, to contribute a few dollars every year to coach or endowment funds, and to return to the hill maybe every Commencement Week for a few days of such dissolute and intemperate alcoholic indulgence as they would not countenance in their normal lives.

We may well be thankful that they are not all that way. Even those who are, have, deep in their hearts, a sincere love and true loyalty for the old college, for when the opportunity to serve the college or to show their spirit is presented to them in active form—at a football game, an Alumni dinner or suchwise, they are among the foremost in enthusiasm and zeal. Unfortunately, however, the opportunity of doing a little something for the COLLEGIAN can seldom be so presented. That opportunity comes to the Alumnus during his everyday life, and usually when he has other occupations that seem more attractive. Yet, how small a thing it is to do, and how easy, when you once get at it. There are over a thousand living Kenyon Alumni but of this number not more than twenty-five or thirty contribute regularly to the college paper. If each one of a hundred could send in SOMETHING—ANYTHING, but once or twice a year, the paper would be more than it is now. Why cannot this be done? Why should a few do it all? Is an hour, or two, out of a whole year's time, too much for you to give in a cause that is truly helpful to your Alma Mater, when she has given so much for you?

In this connection, the editor cannot refrain from mentioning another matter much along the same lines. For a number of years past there has been expressed a great need for a Kenyon Song Book. Until the present book came out Kenyon had had no song book since the little paper bound volume issued in 1868. Yet there is perhaps no institution today that has such a wealth of beautiful and really musical songs. The editor, therefore, over a year ago, undertook the work of compiling a complete Kenyon Song Book and spared no pains to make it such a work as Kenyon men might be proud of. How well he succeeded in this he cannot say, but the fact remains that he received encouragement from all sides, and did his best. For over a half-year he gave up nearly everything to make the book a success in every way. The publishers, who have issued nearly every college and university song book for a number of years, claim that the Kenyon book is the most complete and artistic of its kind ever issued.

Yet how has the book been received by Kenyon men, for whom it was compiled? Last Commencement Week, when the book first came out, but one hundred copies were sold in Gambier, and of these the college took half for advertising purposes. A little over this number were sold through the mail before the book came out. The result is that the editor is \$750.00 in debt. A part of this debt is being carried by five of the Alumni, the rest the editor is bearing with difficulty. There are, of course, many Kenyon men who responded promptly, but there are many more who, though they know well of the book and its character, have not taken even their single copies. It is to these that the editor appeals, in the hope that they will see fit to give him at least the minimum support that they can, by subscribing for one copy each. The book sells for practically what it cost to publish it, \$2.00 per copy, and will be sent upon receipt of remittance to the undersigned at 15 West 29th St., New York.

ALFRED K. TAYLOR, '06.

BANQUET OF THE PHILADELPHIA ALUMNI ASSOCIATION.

On Thursday evening, January 28th, the Kenyon Alumni Association of Philadelphia held its third annual banquet at the University Club at 1510 Walnut Street.

The Alumni had the pleasure of entertaining President Peirce. The other guest of the evening was the Rev. N. S. Thomas, of Philadelphia.

The Alumni present were: Messrs. Geo. F. Klock, Rev. Chas. Arndt, James Doolittle, Carl Williams, Dr. Chas. M. Aves, Chas. Browning, Rev. Chas. Fischer, Albert A. Taltavall, W. F. Douthirt and M. F. Maury.

After a most delightful dinner there was a short business meeting of the Association at which the Rev. I. N. Stanger, of Philadelphia, was re-elected President, Geo. F. Klock, Vice-President, and M. F. Maury, Secretary and Treasurer.

The Toastmaster, Rev. Dr. Arndt, then called on President Peirce whose remarks received careful attention from the Alumni present.

It was declared the sentiment of the meeting that the proposed changes in the Constitution of the College as well as the efficient work of the student body, towards self-government was a decided step in advance and should receive the hearty co-operation and support of the Alumni of the College.

The Secretary and Treasurer's report for the year was then read and accepted.

After listening to some informal remarks of the members of the Alumni, the meeting adjourned until next year.

M. F. MAURY, Secretary.

However much of a task the compiling of the Kenyon Song Book was, there was one feature of the work that gave to the editor an ever new and freshened interest in his labors, and that was the pleasant correspondence had with many of the Alumni. It would be impossible to include here even the majority of those letters that are agreeable reading, but out of a bulging file containing some six hundred of them we have picked a few of the choicest.

It is really too bad that the letters cannot be reproduced here just as they are, for the first one given below, written by a Kenyon graduate who attended the academy and college during the years 1836-1842, is remarkable for the clearness and neatness of the handwriting. Its writer, Mr. Leander Comstock, is still actively engaged in business, conducting, as he does, quite a large celery growing and shipping industry, with headquarters in Milwaukee, Wis. Following is his letter:

"MILWAUKEE, Feb. 22, 1908.

ALFRED K. TAYLOR, New York.

DEAR ALUMNUS:—Your communication, mailed Feb. 20th, reached me this morning.

I am of the class graduated in 1842. During my time, 1836-1842, there were no college songs at Kenyon, and I may add, no baseball or foot-

ball teams, no college or class yells, and very little hazing. These are all of more modern outgrowth.

Wishing you full success in your laudable undertaking, and not now having in mind any matter which might be of use or interest to you, I remain,

Yours very truly,

LEANDER COMSTOCK.

P. S.—The handwriting of your signature is very like that of my class-mate and for a time room-mate, Joash Rice Taylor.

In an altogether different strain comes the following from Mr. William G. LeDuc, '48, Hastings, Minn. It is written in a small but legible hand on the back of one of the song book order blanks that were enclosed in the circular letters sent out to the Alumni, and we are giving it here in its exact form.

"P. S.—I cannot, any more, sing, people who have passed 85 years are debarred from practice of vocal music—by law of declaring nuisance.

"N. B. I have no objections to make to the efforts of my classmate Foster if confined to Athens, Tenn.

"N. B. I have no ears for music, or song singing, as one of my ears went out of commission when I was killed by a street car in Los Angeles six years ago.

"N. B. I have no money to waste for songs, need it all and more for necessities, in which term songs are not included.

"N. B. Finally my grandchildren are not gifted with song capacity, and music of all kinds is done nowadays by machinery. Turn a crank and let a Victor record spit it out and some scriptural fellow in olden time said (as written) 'I pray thee have me excused.' The first thing I ever bought was a comic song book at an auction, eighteen cents, and my life was made tedious by the ridicule that ensued for the wasting of that eighteen cents. Songs. No thanks. Not any.

"Sent by MR. WILLIAM G. LE DUC, 1846, Hastings, Minn."

It should be said in explanation of the second paragraph of the above, that it refers to a circular letter, that was sent out with the Song Book circulars, in regard to the Alumni Cup and the proposed reunions of the various classes. Evidently, however, neither the Song Book nor Alumni letter found Mr. LeDuc in a receptive mood.

A member of the Class of 1901, who contributed considerable material to the book and was very helpful in its compilation, wrote to one of his former colleagues, of the Class of 1899, who

had somewhat of a reputation during his years in Gambier, as a versifier and a wit, as well as a musician, asking him to supply the music for one of the songs. The reply that he received is certainly "choice." No doubt its perpetrator wrote it largely for his own amusement and while it can scarcely be applied to the Kenyon of today, those who knew the college some years ago, before the "Reformation," will probably find in it more than one word that rings true. Here it is:

"I cannot attempt to do any work for the Kenyon Book—traitor to my Alma Mater that I am. How you and 'Skinny' can summon up such sublime thoughts about those old beer-stained walls, I can't surmise. Your loving thoughts gush forth on the least provocation. 'Write me a verse,' says one, 'of yon gray towers and old gray walls, etc., etc.,' and straightway there comes before your mind's eye such a vision as I never beheld at Gambier. The old lunks are transformed into faithful sons. The old college belfry and the dirty winding stair above it is a heavenward pointing spire. The Ascension observatory, with its far-famed Alvin-Clark glass becomes a staunch old sentinel. By a system of inversion the depths to which we have become degraded, are now the heights we may attain for we are loyal sons of Kenyon, tried and true—and a lot of other jelly."

"Why not write a song about the lunks as such? Wriest about the happy-go-lucky throng who get through with a shove and a kick. There were a whole lot of us, and between you and Skinny and me, I needn't mention any names."

ALUMNI NOTES.

1911.—R. C. Gillette, ex-'11, is attending the Metropolitan Business College in Chicago, Ill.

1910.—Paul Vickers Hann, ex-'10, has chosen Art as his profession and, with the congenial company of Ralph Waldo Wyant, ex-'10, and William N. Wyant, '03, has chosen a residence in New York City.

1908. Kenneth F. Luthy, ex-'08, who recently underwent an operation at Roosevelt Hospital, New York, for appendicitis, has recovered his normal health sufficiently to resume his position with the American Bank Note Co., of New York City.

Dr. Guy P. Conover, ex-'08, who graduated last June from the Medical School of the University of Indiana, is interne in St. Anthony's Hospital, Terre Haute, Ind.

1908.—Percival G. Elster, ex-'08, is an instructor at Howe School, Lima, Ind.

1906.—Ralph B. May, ex-'06, has been forced to give up his business for the present, owing to severe ill health. He has gone to Kingston, O., for a year's rest and recuperation in the hope that he may regain his strength.

1906.—George Clinton Lee, '06, has given up the architectural profession for a very good position as Secretary of the Central Folding Box Co., a large manufacturing concern located in Indianapolis, and in which Mr. Lee owns some stock.

1906.—Kenneth Murphy, ex-'06, has accepted a position with the Gorham Co., of New York City, having charge of one branch of their business in the Middle West, with headquarters in Columbus.

1906.—Frederick R. Graves, '06, was admitted to the bar on Dec. 14, 1908, and is now affiliated with the law firm of S. S. Slater, 76 William St., New York City.

1906.—Silas Blake Axtell, '06, has been connected for a number of months past with the Legal Aid Society, No. 1 Broadway, New York City. The Society is supported mainly by subscriptions and donations and its work is largely a philanthropic one. It affords legal assistance to the worthy working class in New York, who could not obtain it otherwise, and does a really splendid work. The branch that Mr. Axtell is connected with has to deal almost entirely with marine laborers.

1906.—Edward R. Dyer, '06, is attending the Virginia Theological Seminary.

Charles M. Ballard, '06, is studying medicine at Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore.

1905.—Dr. James Madison Smith, '05, who took his M. D. at the Medical School of the University of Indiana last June, is intern in the City Hospital, Indianapolis, Ind.

1905.—C. Coles Phillips, ex-'05, is completing a most attractive set of illustrations, to be reproduced in color, for a novel entitled "The Good One," by Miriam Michelson, to be published soon by Doubleday, Page & Co. The story has quite a clever plot that hinges on the identity of two sisters—twins—one of them a frivolous little social butterfly, and the other a girl with some serious purpose in life. Many amusing situations are created by the authoress. Both girls are decided blondes, and are most attractive,—but wait and see the illustrations.

1904.—Harold Edward Langdon, '04, who is in business in Seattle, Wash., was married on the evening of Tuesday, February 2d, to Miss Olive Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Warren Lewis, of Seattle. Horace McCook Billingsley, '04, was best man, and Wilbur L. Cummings, '02, was one of the ushers. Mr. and Mrs. Langdon

will take up their residence at 2332 Del Mar Boulevard, Seattle, after April 1st.

1903.—Walter T. Collins, '03, who recently accepted a position with the Chicago office of Lee, Higginson & Co., Bankers, is traveling for that concern in the State of Michigan.

1886.—Edward M. Pullington, ex-'86, of Columbus, O., entered upon his duties as Auditor of State on January 9th.

1885.—John F. Smith, '85, who has been for a number of years the principal of Findlay High School, was recently elected superintendent of the schools in that city.

1882.—Irving B. Dudley, '82, United States Ambassador to Brazil, recently made a visit to the United States, stopping a short time in Columbus, O., where he met a number of Kenyon men.

1882.—James H. Dempsey, '82, of Cleveland, was a member of the Electoral College which met in Columbus on January 9th to cast the ballots of Ohio for William H. Taft for President.

1881.—Theodore M. Livesay, '81, of Columbus, and who was recently married to Miss Althea Mohler of Zanesville, O., returned, with his wife a short time ago from a European trip.

1880.—Newbold L. Pierson, '80, who for many years has been in the lumber business with his brother in Cincinnati, has become actively interested in real estate, principally in College Hill, Cincinnati.

1866.—Col. John J. McCook, '66, has been mentioned in no uncertain way as a member of the next President's Cabinet, and in the capacity of Secretary of War.

The following article, from a recent Columbus paper, may serve as an illustration of the "every-little-bit-added-to-what-you've-got-makes-just-a-little-bit-more" rule. Of course it was a Kenyon man who did it.

SENDS BACK 15 STAMPS LEFT AFTER SENDING OUT BIDS TO THE BALL.

"It has remained for T. P. Linn to set the pace for inauguration committees of the board of trade.

Friday morning, Mr. Linn, who acted as chairman of the invitation committee for the inaugural ball, returned to J. V. Bassell, secretary of the board of trade, an envelope containing about 15 two-cent stamps, the remains of quite a quantity furnished to send the "bids" to the big function.

"This is the first time there has ever been anything left from the inauguration celebration fund. To get anything back is a new sensation for me," said Mr. Bassell Friday morning."

For a number of years past the members of the Chicago Kenyon Alumni Association have had an annual dinner on New Year's Eve, and the occasions have never failed to be most enjoyable ones. The dinner this year, however, "fell through," much to the disappointment of all concerned. This was largely owing to the fact that the usual organizers of the affair were out of town. Still, there had to be some sort of a celebration in the name of Kenyon, and it took the form of several and separate informal gatherings, small, but "all there" with the "Hikas" and the "Thrill." By chance these "informals" met each other during the course of their spirited wanderings, so there was "something doing" after all.

WANDER-LUST.

CHARLES M. HUBBARD, '97.

There's the lure of the foaming rapids,
There's the voice of the roaring falls,
And the winds that blow
And the streams that flow,
And the wild free life that calls.

Oh, the camp on the lonely prairie
In the cool of the summer night,
And the hills afar
Where the lone trails are
Bathed in the starry light.

Oh, the toss of the sloop in the trade wind,
With the round tropic moon on high,
Or to loaf all day,
Where the monkeys play,
'Neath the cloudless southern sky.

Oh, the click of the flashing raquets,
Oh, the howl of the husky pack,
And the lonely mush
Through the Northland hush,
As we follow the frozen track.

There's the plain, and the stream, and the mountain,
Each calls with a voice of its own;
There's the saddle's grip,
And the paddle's dip,
And the gleam of the campfire lone.

Then away from the crowded city,
With its endless din and strife,
To the woodland cool
And the quiet pool,
And the charm of the wanderer's life.

THE REVEILLE.

Work is progressing upon the "1909 Reveille." The only setbacks experienced so far have been the loss of Mr. H. S. Lybarger, '10, from the board and refusal of Mt. Vernon merchants to lend their support by advertising in the book. The board wishes to urge every man in college to help make the book a success by submitting work, either art or literary, to the editors. The Reveille, while published under the auspices of the Junior Class, is distinctly a Kenyon book and all Kenyon men should co-operate to make it the finest possible literary and artistic production of which the college is capable.

The art department is being well taken care of by Mr. H. K. Rood, '10, the art editor. Drawings are being made by Mr. Rood, Mr. Welch, '10, and others. Several drawings have been submitted by Mr. Paul Hann, ex-'10. Several competent judges have pronounced these the finest that have ever appeared in any Kenyon year book.

A ROOM-MATE.

When the nights are long and the mornings cool,
Loth to rise and go to school,
I lie in bed and feign to sleep
And hope my roomy will fix the heat.
The alarm is buzzing long and loud
Vainly endeavoring our sleep to end,
But every morning we both lie still
And fake a sleep until
My roommate fearing cuts,
Rolls out of bed and the window shuts.
He may cuss a trifle as he turns on the heat,
But the last few winks are mighty sweet.
The trials of the first up are always bitter,
And especially so in the middle of winter,
When the wind gets under his evening clothes
And feels like ice between his toes.

But a roomy to me now means much more
Than having two names upon one door;
His cares, his joys and feelings deep,
Are mine before he goes to sleep.
Perhaps my check is a little slow,
Then the two of us his money blow.
But the ledgers of friendship will always balance
Without the aid of any allowance.
Thus we live for these few years,
And then we part with silent tears.
Our paths hereafter may never cross,
But our friendship made is never lost.

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